

## Message Text

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R 071430Z JUL 78  
FM AMEMBASSY DJIBOUTI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1059  
USMISSION USUN NY  
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO

C O N F I D E N T I A L DJIBOUTI 987

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP, DJ, US, UN  
SUBJ: DJIBOUTI DIPLOMATIC REPRDSENTATION

REF: STATE 123988 (NOTAL)

1. IN PRESIDENT'S INDEPENDENCE DAY SPEECH, HE NOTED THAT  
DJIBOUTI WOULD SOON AUGMENT ITS OVERSEAS DIPLOMATIC ESTABLISHMENT,  
NOW LIMITED TO A SINGLE EMBASSY IN PARIS. EVENTUAL PLACEMENT OF  
THESE EMBASSIES HAS NOT YET BEEN ANNOUNCED, ALTHOUGH SCUTTLEBUT  
AROUND THE PALACE INDICATES PROBABILITY OF POSTS IN ADDIS, CAIRO  
AND NEW YORK.

2. DISCUSSION POINTS IN REFTTEL WHICH CONCERNED POSSIBILITY THAT  
FORMER LEADER GRANTEE KAMIL ALI MIGHT BE NAMED AMBASSADOR TO  
WASHINGTON REVEALS NO CERTAINTY THAT A POST WILL BE ESTABLISH  
THERE IN NEAR FQAURE. THE FIRST POST OPENED IN WESTERN HEMIS-  
PHERE WILL DEFINITELY BE NEW YORK. GROD YHAS EVIDENTLY DECIDED  
SEND SOMEONE SOON TO NEW YORK TO SET YP SHOP FOR UNNAMED UN RESREP.  
WE WILL FORWARD NAME THIS STAFFER AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.

3. MATTER OF HAVING ANSWERING SERVICE/MAIL DROP IN  
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WASHINGTON IN LIEU OF REPRESENTATION HAS BEEN DISCUSSED  
WITH FOMIN STAFF. EMBASSY BELIEVES THIS CAN BE ACHIEVED  
THROUGH INTERVENTION WITH DJIBOUTI UN MISSION STAFFER ONCE  
HE ARRIVES NEW YORK.  
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